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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Art Unit: 1771

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Docket No.: SHC0029

Applicant: Toshio KABAYASHI et al.

Invention: NONWOVEN FABRIC AND METHOD FOR
MAKING THE SAME

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated January 30, 2001, having a period of response set to expire on April 30, 2001, for an additional one (1) month to May 30, 2001.

Applicants submit herewith a check in the amount of \$110.00 which covers the Extension of Time Fee Required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17. If the enclosed remittance is insufficient, please charge any additional amount required to Deposit Account No. 02-0385, Baker & Daniels.

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